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CHICAGO RAILROADS TO BE FIRST HIT IF BIG STRIKE COMES

President May Take Hand in Controversy—Brotherhood Chiefs to Meet Rail Managers in New York

Tomorrow Walk-out Now Set for Saturday.

Strike orders, received by brotherhood officials here today, which are
to go in effect 4 p. m. Saturday in
case supplementary orders are not
issued, disclose the fact that Chicago
will be hard hit from the very outset,
if the brotherhoods go out.

The first group of railroads to be on 18 lines in the Chicago district

affected—Chicago & Western Indiana, Indiana Harbor Belt Line, Chicago Junction Railway, New York Central and allied lines, except the Michigan Central and Baltimore & Ohio—handle the greater part of Chicago shipping. Freight crews on these roads as well as all switchmen on 18 lines in the Chicago district